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LEGISLATIVE REFERRAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Legislative Liaison Officer

Department of Defense
✓ Central Intelligence Agency
Department of Justice

SUBJECT: Selected issues regarding titles IV, V, and VI of
S. 2525, a bill entitled, the "National Intelligence
Reorganization and Reform Act of 1978."

(95-600)
As previously agreed to by the Special Coordinating Committee, the Office of Management and Budget circulated S. 2525 to a wide range of interested agencies. One of the principal objectives of this review has been to identify troublesome issues of a Presidential and government-wide nature which do not fall into the intelligence policy area. Attached is a compendium of such issues as they relate to titles IV, V, and VI in S. 2525.

OMB plans to take the action noted in the attachment for each issue as we continue to develop an Administration position on the intelligence charter legislation. If your agency has any substantive objections to the course of action proposed by OMB, you should notify this Office in writing no later than April 16, 1979, with a full explanation as to the nature of your concerns. This review should be fully coordinated with your agency's designated working group member. Following this review, this Office, through its participation in the Special Coordinating Committee, will move to see that the subject changes are incorporated into the Administration version of S. 2525.

Questions should be referred to Nannette Blandin (395-4800) or to Tracey Cole (395-4710), the legislative analyst in this office.

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*Look back at BSSCI
in addition - we have to
stall - battle OMB!*
Enclosures

*Suggest a strong letter
telling OMB to
back off.*